Don't know what you want to do after High

School?

- $\hfill\square$ Sign-up for the ASVAB test in the Career Center.
- □ Utilize SchooLinks website to take career and personality tests. There are directions online at the Liberty Guidance website.

If pursuing Military Enlistment:

- □ Meet with recruiter; see Career Center for recruiting schedule & contacts.
- $\hfill\square$ Sign-up to take the ASVAB test in the Career Center.
- $\hfill\square$ College/military check with Univ. about ROTC programs/scholarships.

If pursuing Community College:

- \Box <u>**1**</u>^{*} Fill out Student Info. Form @ CC/online to register as student.
- \Box <u>**2**</u>nd Take placement test at CC Admissions and Testing Office, no appt. needed; see their website for testing times.
- □ <u>3</u>⁻⁻ Register for classes; the 2024-25 schedule should be out in March '24 at the Community Colleges, freshman should register with an advisor on campus.
- $\hfill\square$ Request transcripts as part of Senior check-out process in May.

If pursuing University Admission:

- □ Register for ACT/SAT (*if needed*) *as soon as possible*. Refer to their websites for testing dates as you register through them directly.
- Check out the Tri-University online sessions a great way to get information from all 3 in-state Universities on variety of topics (see Guidance website for links).
- $\hfill\square$ Visit or tour the College/Univ/Tech School campus of choice.
- □ Apply early! You can do this on-line at the University's Admission link. It is best to apply early (by October 1^{*} so they have all necessary information by 12/1 preferred deadline when they award academic scholarships for incoming freshmen).
- □ Register for NCAA/NAIA if pursuing College Sports. It is recommended to talk to your coaches/counselor first.
- Request transcripts as needed through SchooLinks <u>or</u> as part of Senior check-out in May. Remember you can get an unofficial copy of your transcripts via download in Student Vue under the Course History tab.

Need Financial Aid?

- □ Create a resume & start a letter of recommendation file.
- □ Check PUSD Scholarship Database *you should be doing this weekly.*
- □ Apply, apply, apply for Scholarships! You should be actively researching and applying for scholarships early and often. The college or University you are going to usually will have an entire website that you can apply for scholarships through them after you are admitted. Another reason to APPLY ONLINE EARLY for admissions.
- FAFSA for Grants and Loans! You must complete the FAFSA application online at <u>www.fafsa.ed.gov</u> in January <u>using your parents' taxes from last</u> <u>year</u>. The FAFSA Application is <u>required</u> for most Financial Aid Departments on University & CC Campuses, <u>even if you wish to decline</u> <u>Student Loans.</u>

Helpful Resources:

How to stay informed this year:

 All seniors will need to download the Student Square App and log-in using your school log-in and password. All announcements on graduation and important reminders will be sent this year via Student Square.

<u>Workforce</u>

- <u>https://www.azjobconnection.gov/ada/</u>
- <u>https://www.azdes.gov/apprenticeship/</u>
- <u>https://www.west-mec.edu/</u> (Adult Training Programs)

<u>Military</u>

- <u>http://todaysmilitary.com/</u>
- <u>http://www.military.com/education</u>
- <u>http://official-asvab.com/</u>

Community College

 Maricopa County Colleges -<u>www.maricopa.edu</u>

ACT/SAT

- ACT <u>www.actstudent.org</u>
- SAT <u>www.collegeboard.com</u>
- LHS code for registration is 030208

<u>Sports</u>

- NCAA <u>www.eligibilitycenter.org</u>
- NAIA <u>www.playnaia.org</u>

Financial Aid/Scholarships

- Check in Career Center regularly
- Check with the individual schools you are applying to, they have their own scholarship page online for just students attending their school.
- FAFSA <u>www.studentaid.gov</u>
- <u>www.fastweb.com</u>

Transcripts

- You can download a PDF of your unofficial transcript in Student Vue under the Course History tab.
- Go online through your SchooLinks account to send official transcripts for free through Parchment at: www.parchment.com